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and See Me!

...PENED A SMALL STAND at the

...OR. OLD SQUARE

Where I will sell

...BACCO

OF ALL KINDS;

...IGARS

...Brands manufactured in Decatur ...(and no other kind.)

...t. Louis and New York Papers

...oth German and English;

...ng Paper,
Pens, Ink
and Pencils.

...TTER, EGGS

— and —

...NE FRUITS,

...be bought and sold at the lowest ...t.

...y Cash for Everything I Buy

...at my old friends, both from town ...y, will not fail to give me a call.

...M. FORSTMEYER.

...5,000,000.

American Shoe Tip Co.

...A. S. T. Co.

...LACK TIP

...LDREN'S SHOES

...'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

...MARK The GREAT TRADE MARK ENGLISH REMEDY. An unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency and all diseases that follow as a sequence of self-abuse; as Loss AFTER TAKING. ...ry, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the ...ness of Vision, Premature Old Age, ...other Diseases that lead to Insanity ...mption and a Premature Grave. ...ll particulars in our pamphlet, which ...to send free by mail to every one. ...pecific Medicine is sold by all drug... ...per package, or six packages for $5, ...sent free by mail on receipt of the ...addressing ...E GRAY MEDICINE CO., ...old in Decatur by Henry Smith ...wtf

...ave Just Received

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

...H AND MUZZLE-LOADING

...OT-GUNS

AND

REVOLVERS

...en in Central Illinois, and being

...IGHT FOR CASH,

...are enabled to Retail them

...WHOLESALE PRICES

...rant Everything as Represented

...ND EXAMINE OUR STOCK AND PRICES.

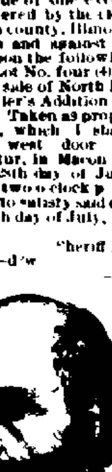
...MEYER & O'NEILL,

...e St., 2 doors East Post Office

...3, 1881 d&wly

...SHERIFF'S SALE.

...ue of one execution to me directed ...ered by the clerk of the circuit court ...county, Illinois, in favor of Thomas ...and against John Ricketts, I have ...on the following described property, ...ot No. four (4), in block No two (2), on ...side of North Main street, in Cowan ...ler's Addition to the City of Decatur. ...Taken as property of the said John ..., which I shall offer at public sale ...west door of the court house, ...tur, in Macon county, in said State, ...5th day of July, A. D. 1881, at the ...two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash ...to satisfy said execution. ...h day of July, A. D. 1881. WM. W. FOSTER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois. ...d&w



Dr. JAMES'

*Lock Hospital,*

204 WASHINGTON St.

Cor. Franklin, CHICAGO.

Chartered by the State of Illinois for the express purpose of giving immediate relief in all cases of private chronic and urinary diseases in all their complicated forms. ... James has stood at the head of the profession ... thirty years. ... Seminal weakness ... Dr. James has fifty rooms and parlors. ... Office hours 9 a. m. ... Dr. James is 60 years ...

...E GOODS ...

...E PILLS After forty years' practice I am satisfied nine-tenths of the troubles ...in families has grown out of a latent sexual ...the part of ladies and gentlemen. Thousands, ...knowing the real cause, have made life a weary ...the want of proper means to make it bright ... NERVINE PILLS, compounded of roots, ...will make the weak and debilitated strong ...you have lost, or never had, will come to ...be happy. Life is too short to waste away in ...pid home when a $1 box will please you and ...you for five dollars. Sent by mail, sealed, ...of price. Leucorrhea or whites positively ...stamp for Electric Bath gents only.

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# A PANIC

— IN —

# SUMMER GOODS.

# J. R. RACE & CO.

Have reduced the price of

## SUMMER COATS

To 25 cts. to $1.00 each.

## Summer White and Colored Marseilles Vests

50 cts. to $1.00.

## SUMMER PANTS

50, 75 and $1.00. A good line of

## WORKING SHIRTS,

The best in the United States.

## STRAW HATS

Are selling at 5 to 10 cents each, and a fine assortment to select from.

**Call Early to secure Bargains, as the stock will disappear rapidly.**

## SPECIAL BARGAINS

Are also offered in

## FLANNEL SUITS, LIGHT WEIGHT CASSIMERES

And all kinds of Summer Goods.

**PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR $5.00.**

# J. R. RACE & CO.

July 16, 1881—d&wtf

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# SPLENDID

Our Ribbon Sale a Great Success.

## THOUSANDS OF YARDS SOLD!

And the Demand Greater than Ever.

**Will continue the Sale and will add for this week our Entire Stock of MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS, including HOSIERY, GLOVES, TIES, SCARFS, COLLARS, LACES, &c., &c., making OURS the GREAT and ONLY BONA-FIDE CHEAP SALE OF THE SEASON.**

## ON WEDNESDAY MORNING WILL OPEN

## 75 Doz. Lace and Mull Ties and Collars,

**Direct from New York. CHOICE GOODS. Will put them right in the Cheap Sale and let them go.**

Respectfully,

# S. G. HATCH & BRO.

## NO. 10 MERCHANT ST.,

July 25, 1881—d&wtf

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M. A. MYER. F. C. MYER.

## MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN

## PAINTERS!

SPECIALTIES:

**Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting.**

SHOP—One block north of City Park, corner of State and William streets.
Oct. 26 1880—dtf

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WILHOFT'S FEVER AND AGUE TONIC

**For Chills and Fever AND ALL DISEASES Caused by Malarial Poisoning of the Blood. A WARRANTED CURE. Price, $1.00.** For sale by all Druggists.

May 18—d&w6mos

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$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb3-d&wly

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**Read the News.**

We have this day made a deduction of 25 per cent. on our full stock of millinery and notions, in order to close out goods now on hand before the fall supply begins to come in. We have all the latest novelties in hats and bonnets, and offer special inducements to cash buyers who call early. Examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.

BEAR & EINSTEIN,
June 29-d&wtf 26 East Main st.

E. B. PRATT has connected a variety store with his grocery, and invites all to give him a call. No 87 North Church street. June22 d&w3mos

MEN'S calf boots for $2.50 at J. W. Baker's. Marked $3.00 in plain figures at other stores. July16 d&wtf

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wtf

GET a beautiful gold fish pot at Dr. Stoner's drug store for 40 cents—all sizes. 7dtf

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### HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

*New York Evening Post.*

Do not let your laundress or washer-woman put clothes into the blueing water until they have been well shaken; if tossed in while folded as they come through the wringer they are almost certain to be streaked with blueing, and although after repeated washings these streaks will come out, everyone knows how aggravating it is to use napkins or handkerchiefs that show traces of careless washing.

All kinds of berry stains may be removed by pouring boiling water on, or rather through, the stained spot; hold the garment over a tub or washbowl, and keep pouring on the boiling water until the stain disappears. This must be done before soap has been used or any attempt made to wash out the spot. Sweet apple stains may be removed by dipping the stained cloth in the juice of ripe tomatoes, then lay it in the sunshine for a few hours. It may be necessary to repeat the operation several times. I have removed mildew by covering the spot with a mixture of soft soap and lemon juice, and laying the garment in the sunshine. It is best not to sprinkle clothes at night, when it is hot and damp, or they are likely to mildew before morning.

A good rule to follow when making ice-cream is this: To one quart of rich, sweet cream allow five eggs, and sugar enough to sweeten to your taste; cook in a pail or pan, set in a kettle of hot water. When as thick as for boiled custard take it out and when cool flavor it. If you put the flavoring extract in when the custard is hot you will be obliged to use much more. Let it be cold before putting it into the freezer; you gain no time by hurrying. Set the custard in the refrigerator or down cellar, then pack the ice and salt around the freezer. Constant stirring is what gives the desired fine grain to the frozen cream. In peach time quarters or slices of the fresh peaches may be stirred in and frozen with the cream. Pineapple is also used in this way, but cannot be recommended, as it must be very indigestible.

The pretty muslin ties with silk embroidered ends can be washed and made to look about as good as new again. Wash the muslin in quite strong suds, holding the ends out of the suds with your left hand, then when the plain part is clean, get some fresh water, make a weak suds and rinse the whole tie in it, squeezing it in your hand, not wringing it, then dip the tie in cold water in which you have put a little blueing and a bit of starch. Then lay the the tie (while wet) on a perfectly clean ironing board. Pin the ends out carefully just as you wish them to look when dry, then lay a thin cloth over the plain part and iron it dry, but do not iron the ends, the hot iron will flatten the silk embroidery so it will not look well. Let it remain on the board until dry. If the ends are inclined to draw, and will not hang as you wish them to, then take a piece of flannel, double it and lay the ends on that, and press lightly with an iron that is just warm. The ties are too pretty and cost too much to be thrown away when soiled, hence the experiments which led to these results.

**Free of Cost.**

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc., is given away in trial bottles *free of cost*, to the afflicted. If you have a severe cough, cold, difficult breathing, hoarseness or any affection of the throat or lungs, by all means give this wonderful remedy a trial. As you value your existence you cannot afford to let this opportunity pass. We could not afford and would not give this remedy away unless we knew it would accomplish what we claim for it. Thousands of hopeless cases have been completely cured by it. There is no medicine in the world that will cure one-half the cases that Dr King's New Discovery will cure. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill

A LARGE lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our *cheap counter* at greatly reduced prices.
Jan 6—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE best Carpet Sweepers that are made—and what every housekeeper should have—for sale at Linn & Scruggs.
June 8 d&wtf

**JUST RECEIVED.**

At Mrs. A. T. Grist's, New Spring Styles in Hats and Bonnets, over F. L. Hays & Co.'s
March 12—dtf

SELECT a nice pants pattern at Fleury's low price and perfect fit guaranteed.
11d&wtf

SUMMER suits put up to order in the latest styles at reduced prices by Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11dawtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here
Dec 18—d&wtf

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# OUR HOUSE

— IS AS —

# Full of Bargains!

— AS AN —

## "EGG IS FULL OF MEAT."

Do you know why all the respectable citizens of Decatur have very generally traded with us? That's easy. Simply because they find our advertisements devoid of gushy exaggerations and untruthfulness, our Goods as WE REPRESENT THEM.

## Our Word as Good as a Government Bond,

— AND OUR —

**Prices Uniformly Reasonably Low.**

You will not be disappointed when you call to trade with

## B. STINE,

## THE "BOSS CLOTHIER,"

— THE —

## Leader in the Clothing Business

IN DECATUR,

**THE CLOTHIER FOR MEN AND YOUTH,**

And even the boys call him BOSS.

## Our Stock is as Full as Ever.

COME AND SEE.

# B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER" of Decatur.

Jun 10, 1881 -dtf

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## CARTOONS! BOXES!! BALES!!!

# Yes, CAR LOADS

Of NICE, FRESH AND CLEAN, NEW

# DRY GOODS, &c.,

On the way directed to

## JNO. F. STRAUHAL,

To be placed in the newly fitted up building,

## NO. 16 MERCHANT ST.,

which Mr. Strauhal writes he has purchased far cheaper than he expected, and intends to

## OPEN THE EYES

of the public in general in and about the vicinity of Decatur.

## Watch for the Announcement of the Opening

Decatur, July 21, 1881—d&wtf

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### NATURE'S TRIUMPH.

### FRAZIER'S ROOT BITTERS

If you are weak, or languid, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your flesh is flabby and your complexion sallow, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you live in a malarial district, use Frazier's Bitters.
If worn down with the care of children, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have got the blues, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have kept late hours and lived contrary to the laws of health, use Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you need toning up, take Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you have abused instead of used nature's gifts, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you feel old before your time, use Frazier's Bitters.
If life has become a burden and you have gloomy forebodings, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your hands tremble and your eyes have grown dim, Frazier's Root Bitters will make you feel young again. Sold by all druggists everywhere at the low price $1.00 per bottle.
HENRY & DAVIES, Sole Prop's,
Dec. 29,1880—d&weomly CLEVELAND, O.

SUMMER suits for the rich and the poor, large and small, at the popular one price clothing and merchant tailoring establishment. 19tf

**For Sale or Exchange.**

A very desirable residence property, near Lake, one hour's ride north of Chicago, in a live city, for sale or exchange for Macon county property. Inquire of
87-d1m THEO. A. GEHRMANN.

### MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }
Macon County Circuit Court

Margaret Kennedy et al. vs. Patrick Kennedy et al.—No 11,286.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May Term, A. D. 1881, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

*Saturday, the 30th day of July, A. D* 1881,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the west entrance door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. six (6) in the west half of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), in township sixteen (16), north, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., containing one acre, otherwise described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of the west half of the northwest quarter of said section 15, running thence north 340 feet, thence west 128 feet, thence south 340 feet, thence east 128 feet to to the beginning, and recorded in book 12, page 108 of Macon county records.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half cash and the balance payable in one year, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, with mortgage secured on the premises sold, provided that all of the purchase money can be paid if the purchaser so desires. Said sale will be absolute, and a deed made to purchaser on approval of sale by court.

Decatur, Illinois, June 29th, 1881.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
BUNN & PARK, Solicitors for Complainant.
June 29—d4w

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## "CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.

## ON THE TOP

— OF THE —

# CLOTHING TRADE

In Central Illinois,—and we may say in the West,—stands

# Cheap Charley,

— WITH HIS —

## Fine Array of Custom-Made Clothing.

WE SELECT OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CONTROL OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CUT OUR OWN PATTERNS!
WE MAKE FITTING SIZES!
WE GUARANTEE OUR OWN GOODS!
WE GIVE SATISFACTION IN EVERY INSTANCE!

We return the money cheerfully if goods prove not satisfactory when taken home and returned to us not soiled.
We save our customers the middleman's profit, as we are first hand.

**THE LARGEST STOCK,
THE BEST ASSORTMENT,
THE LOWEST PRICE,**

And last, but not least, ONE-PRICE TO ALL.
KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing.

**Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Valises, at Jobber's Prices. CHEAP CHARLEY.**

Not wealth, nor birth nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

## Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

Cor. East Main & Water Sts

DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois
March 10—d&wtf

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## BARGAINS UNEQUALED AND UNRIVALED

IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

# GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

**ALL LIGHT WEIGHT GOODS TO BE SLAUGHTERED WITHOUT RESERVE.**

Ladies', Misses' and Children's

## HOSIERY,

## PARASOLS,

Ladies' Muslin

## UNDERWEAR,

## Zephyr Shawls,

## Lace Ties,

## LACES, EMBROIDERIES, RIBBONS, RUCHINGS,

— AND —

## FANCY GOODS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

☞ ***It will pay every Lady in the city and surrounding country to visit our Store and price and examine our stock.***

**ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN SELLING FIGURES.**

Sign of the big **18** Merchant St. **CHEAP STORE.**

DECATUR, July 12, 1881—d&w1mo SOL. MORITZ & CO.

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# The Daily Republican.

R. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Publishers
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 26, 1881.


DURING the heated term at Cincinnati, that is from July 10 to July 16, inclusive, 414 persons died from sunstroke and heat.

A GREAT country is the United States. Notwithstanding the arrival of more than 600,000 immigrants the past year, the labor bureau at Castle Garden is wholly unable to supply the demand for laborers. Last week there was a shortage of 500 men with the minimum wages of $1.25 per day and the maximum of $75 per month offered.

HON. NATHAN CLIFFORD, one of the Justices of the United States Supreme Court, aged 78 years, died at Cornish, Me., yesterday morning. The event has, for some time, been expected, his health having been in a very seriously impaired condition for several years. His ailments were mental as well as physical. Judge Clifford was born in Rumney, N. H., August 18, 1803, and removed to Maine at the age of 24. He was elected to congress in 1838 and re-elected in 1840. He was attorney general in the cabinet of President Polk from October 17, 1846, to June, 1848, following which he was for some time minister to Mexico. In 1853 President Buchanan appointed him an Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, and as such he officiated until a few months ago, when he was completely incapacitated by disease. He was a member of the electoral commission of 1877.

BEING shown, at his request, the charts recording the fluctuations of his pulse, temperature and respiration, the president gravely remarked: "The condition of that man's case must have been extremely critical at one time."

SECRETARY BLAINE went incog to Deer Park, Md., last week for rest, and the first man he met hailed him by his name. "For Heaven's sake," said the secretary, "don't call me Blaine. I am nearly tormented to death by visitors, letters, and telegrams, and came up here to get rid of them all, and have a couple days' rest."

THE Democratic papers are very much distressed because the Republicans will not keep up, for their benefit, the row which originated in the appointment of Robertson. A united Republican party is the saddest of all scenes to the Democratic heart. It means to them, a still longer wait for the spoils of office.—*Globe Dem.*

A CITIZEN of Louisville desires that Hester Prynne's punishment be applied to Guiteau. She was doomed to wear the letter A, for adulteress, upon her bosom, worked into her clothing. The Louisvillian thinks that if the letter A, for assassin, were branded into each of Guiteau's cheeks, "he would go to his grave a thing of infamy." But would not there be a liability to confound the two crimes?"

A PROMINENT citizen who resides in the same town with the Democratic candidate for governor of Ohio offers to back up his opinion of Bookwalter's home popularity as follows:

I will put up $500 that he won't carry his own ward.

I will bet $500 that he doesn't carry his own township.

I will bet $500 that he won't carry the city.

I will bet $500 that he doesn't carry the county.

I'll bet $500 that he doesn't carry this congressional district.

I'll bet $500 that he doesn't carry the state.

That's $3,000 in all, and it can be doubled, if necessary. I don't want to publish my name, but authorize you to telegraph me in case anybody offers to take it up.

COMMEND us to the way Governor Smith, of Wisconsin, has of dealing with strikers. Learning that about 1,000 lumbermen at the Chippewa river mills had struck for higher wages and were congregating at Eau Claire with hostile intentions, the governor went up there to investigate the case. He found the strikers so determined and ugly that he called out four independent military companies and went back with them to Eau Claire to keep the peace. The mill owners had determined to set other men at work in place of the strikers, but this the strikers declared should not be done. Governor Smith made the strikers a neat speech, in which he informed them that they had a right to strike as often as they pleased, but that they must be civil about it, and not interfere with the business and liberty of any one else. They need not work for a given price if they did not choose to do so, but that if they attempted to keep other people from working, they would be likely to get hurt.

The presence of the governor and his well armed companies has had a mollifying effect upon the rioters, and it is not expected that there will be any violence.—*Chicago Journal.*


THE best line of summer suits, latest novelties, are at Fleury's, the French Cutter, Linn & Scruggs former stand. 11d&wtf


## Hot Weather.

A dispatch to the *Inter-Ocean*, from Stockton, Kansas, dated the 21st, says:

Yesterday was the most terrible day here that the "oldest inhabitant" has ever known. The wind blew strong from the south and felt like the hot air from an oven, scorching the face if exposed to it for an instant. The mercury stood during the middle of the day and till late in the afternoon at 115 degrees in the shade. We were obliged to close the house to keep out the fiery air, and then the heat was intense.—Those who had cellars took refuge therein and spent the day as best they could. About sundown the wind went down, and a slight breeze came from the north, but the houses and bedding were so heated that sleep was impossible. Corn suffered terribly, and many pieces are probably ruined. It threatened storm in the evening and we feared a cyclone, but had no wind of any account, and not a drop of rain, which we need badly. To-day is cooler, but no sign of rain. Even the pests of Kansas, the sunflowers, stand wilted and forlorn. The mercury has indicated from 100 to 110 degrees in the shade for the past two weeks.

### A Rope of Woman's Hair.

In his detail of Indian horrors that came under his notice Mr. Markley, the New Mexican Indian killer, stated that in 1867 he gave an Indian half a dollar for a hair rope ten feet in length and about the size of his little finger. He untwisted the end and found that it was made of red, auburn and black hair, which from the length of each hair, was evidently that of women. He questioned the Indian, who told him the rope was made from the hair of the women and girls slain in the Mountain Meadows massacre, for complicity with which murder John D. Lee, the Mormon, was tried and shot a few years ago. The place where he purchased the rope was at Paleromogote, sixty-five miles from Mountain Meadows, where the most harrowing and brutal massacre of modern times occurred.—*St. Louis Republican.*

### The Chinese Press in America.

San Francisco is the happy possessor of the only Chinese newspapers published in the world outside of China. The *Wah Kee*, edited by Yee Jemm, has a circulation of 1,000, and has a publishing office consisting of three rooms, which, if thrown together, would make a room twelve by fifteen feet. The *Tong Fan San Be* is the other paper, and boasts a circulation of 750 copies. Neither paper has a political, social, or religious policy.

A LETTER from Norfolk, Va., to the Petersburg *Index-Appeal*, a Funder organ, says: "A friend of mine on a visit to the Soldiers' Home a few days since, there met with Senator Mahone. They were old war friends, and this was their first interview since the late unpleasantness. They, in company with three other distinguished gentlemen who shall be nameless, had a long and pleasant chat in which the "situation" was freely discussed. The general emphatically informed my friend that he is a Democrat, but not of the stripe of Ben Hill and Joe Brown. Readjustment, he said, is but a secondary consideration now with his party. They are fighting for the material prosperity of the state of Virginia, which can only come in the securement of political rights to all classes. He referred to his speech in the senate, and said that a Northern man in the gallery got the idea in him. He exclaimed, as he was trying to show what his party proposed to do: "Thank God, I can go to Virginia to live now!" My friend says that the general's manner inspired him with his thorough earnestness, and his full conviction was repeatedly expressed that his party would win in the coming contest for governor."

THE Ohio Democratic press is still backward about coming forward in support of Pocketbookwalter, their high-tariff and monopoly candidate for governor. No one would ever judge from reading those papers that they had heard of his nomination, for he is scarcely mentioned at all. Why is this thus? An exchange suggests it may be that they are all waiting for him to tap the barrel. One of the drawbacks about being a pocketbook candidate for office is the necessity of paying for the support of everybody in the party. No one will work until he has his share of the "sinews." The innocent Pocketbookwalter will discern presently that buying a nomination is by no means equivalent to buying an election. He has merely paid his admission fee, as it were. The heavy expenses are all to come.

A MARKET has been made in Italy for an article in the manufacture of which Americans—naturalized Americans—have recently excelled—beer. The ravages of phylloxera have tended to increase the price of wine in Italy, and the Italians have taken to beer drinking as a consequence. The beer manufactured in Italy is rather poor in quality, and the imported article comes principally from this country. The Italian tariff is rather in favor of imported beer, and the American manufacturers of the foamy beverage are likely to take advantage of the circumstance.


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BEAR & EINSTEIN,
June 29-d&wtf 25 East Main st.

J. H. KREBS, Agent for S. T. Taylor's imported Patterns. [mar7d&wtf


# TELEGRAPHIC

## HOPEFUL SIGNS.

### The President no Worse than Yesterday,

### Though he had a Restless Night.

Special Dispatches to the REPUBLICAN.

WASHINGTON, July 26, 8:30 a. m.

The President was somewhat restless during the night, and the fever, which had subsided after our last bulletin, rose again about midnight and continued until 3 a. m., after which it again subsided. He is now about as well as yesterday at the same hour. Pulse 162, temperature 98, respiration 18.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The feeling of anxiety which prevailed yesterday at the white house and throughout the city had disappeared this morning. There is no better barometer to indicate the president's condition than the ways of those about the white house, and the general air that the place wears. By them the eye can tell at once whether things are favorable or unfavorable without asking a question. This morning everybody was bright and cheerful—the reflex from the sick-room and the opinion of the doctors. Nobody was gloomy, nobody wore the anxious look of yesterday. The happy change had its effect in that there was very little inquiry as to the president's condition, and once more the doctors came from the sick-room without being seized on by thirty or more people who have been waiting for just such an opportunity to hear from the sick bed.

Drs. Reyburn and Bliss were with the president all last night. They took little naps as the president slept soundly. Dr. Bliss said this morning, as he came out of the sick room, that everything began to look bright again. When asked about the appearance of the wound when dressed this morning, he said that there had been a good discharge, what he called an unusual discharge, of pus. The flow had not been as great as before the pus cavity was formed. The matter collected for twenty-four hours was then drawn off, the only discharge in the meantime being a small, continuous flow. The discharge this morning, Dr. Bliss said, though not large, was satisfactory and healthy. The president passed a very good night, getting a good deal of sleep after 12 o'clock, and resting very comfortably before that hour. There was a little fever but it was not marked. As compared with that of the night before, it was as a quiet rest is to a night of pain and tossing.

When the cotton was removed from the mouth of the wound this morning, it was found to be saturated with pus, showing the continuous discharge that was so satisfactory before the formation of the pus cavity.

The president is now taking lime water and milk with beef juice over toast at regular intervals.

Dr. Reyburn came out of the white house this morning looking well satisfied. He said: "The president is doing admirably; he had a very good night; everything is just as satisfactory as could be expected."

Dr. Hamilton was at the dressing of the wound this morning, before the bulletin was issued. He said that the president's condition was satisfactory. He will leave to-night.

Dr. Agnew will return. Either Dr. Agnew or Dr. Hamilton will be with the president from now on until the indications are such as to show there is no necessity for their presence. Dr. Bliss said at 12 o'clock that everything shows that danger from stoppage of flow of pus had passed, and the president is doing about as well as before the relapse occurred.

PHILADELPHIA, July 25.—Dr. Agnew says: "When I arrived in Washington I found the president looking very much the same as when I saw him last; I could see very little change in his general appearance. I regard the president now as in about the condition he was before the incidental feature of the abscess showed itself. The chances of his recovery are good, but he is not removed from danger. I think it possible that some change may take place in his condition later, which will indicate the location of the bullet. We cannot tell anything about it just now. There may be another chill resulting from the condition he has just passed through, but unless something transpires growing directly out of the presence of the bullet, there is no other complication looked for in the case. There were evidences of the old wound healing, but now he has another wound to heal besides. In this his wonderful stamina and vigor will be to his advantage."

NEW YORK, July 25.—A Washington special says: While waiting for the appearance of the other surgeons this morning, Dr. Bliss said: "Pyæmia has not shown itself, and, in my opinion, never will. The occurrence of the chill and other symptoms attendant upon creation of the abscess, being very nearly like those which would indicate the beginning of blood-poisoning, excited the fears of some that the latter had occurred. I never thought so, although I knew it was possible. There were none of the conditions favorable to blood-poisoning. The patient's system was a healthy one to begin with, and has never become dangerously reduced. He has taken and has assimilated nourishment enough to prevent that. His surroundings as to ventilation and temperature are, of course, the best possible, and his treatment has been the reverse of irritating. I have not dreaded pyæmia as a probable danger to be met, but have, nevertheless, kept in mind to be guarded against. The formation of a pus cavity, such as has been punctured, was not surprising. There would be no reason for surprise if another should form. Of course the president is a very sick man, and not out of danger, but I am sure he is in the right track again."

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 25.—Ex-Senator Conkling, accompanied by Senator Jones, of Nevada, called at the Executive Mansion at 1 p. m., and is now in the cabinet room. After talking a while with Private Secretary Brown, they went into the private part of the mansion to see Mrs. Garfield, remaining there some time.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Ex-Senator Conkling remained only fifteen or twenty minutes at the executive mansion, and saw no one but the president's private secretary and Dr. Bliss. To the latter he said that the recent unfavorable turn in the president's case had been a source of anxiety to him, and he called in person to-day to make inquiries. Upon being informed that the president's symptoms this afternoon were all of the most encouraging character, he expressed his gratification, and asked Dr. Bliss to convey to Mrs. Garfield his sincere sympathy and good wishes.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Postmaster Frank W. Palmer to-day assumes editorial management of the *Morning Herald*. In his editorial announcing the fact, he states that the paper will favor a free, untrammeled ballot, protection of the rights of citizenship of all classes, and quotes from a speech made by him in congress eleven years ago, in which he forecast the assassination and intimidation of blacks and whites in the south for their opinions, and says that this is no time for an abatement of the advocacy of equal rights, when the worst apprehensions have been realized. He says the paper will advocate the "hands off" policy as to finances, will encourage a protective tariff, and will counsel unity in the Republican ranks such as now seems feasible. The *Herald* has heretofore been independent in politics.

LONDON, July 25.—The *Mark Lane Express* says: "All the crops have been checked by the change to cool temperature and cloudy and showery weather. Under the forcing influences of the exceptional heat, wheats have made a fortnight's progress during the week. Before the close of the present week the harvest will have commenced all over the country, and should the dry weather continue, a large proportion of the new crop will be threshed from the fields without stacking. Red maggots are alarmingly prevalent in some districts. Native wheat is so scarce that the fresh supply is regarded somewhat curiously. Prices were firm and the top quotations were some times exceeded for the best samples. The attempts to enhance the rates for other kinds proved abortive. In foreign the trade was firm. On millers' there was not an advance in prices, which are unchanged, except for grades, which fractionally improved. Sellers, however, are firm in their demands, which are sustained by moderate supplies. It may be taken for granted that the American exportable surplus is only a secondary consideration in the present firmness of trade. Whilst speculative prices in America have been advancing, rates here were stationary on account of the scarcity. British millers think to buy cheaper than at New York prices during the week. Trade has been slow on the spot, but prices were maintained. The floating bulk was decreased by 92,000 quarters during the week. Country flour is scarce in London. The best makes sell easily at full rates. Foreign is in small supply and assisted the seller. Maize on spot is firm and unchanged. Everything else is unchanged. The sales of English wheat during the week were 13,683 quarters at 46s 10d per quarter, against 17,702 quarters at 43s 6d, the corresponding week of last year.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Dr. Agnew was to arrive here at 10:40 to-night, but has been detained by a fire on the line of the railroad, and will not reach here until midnight. Mrs. Garfield and the other members of the president's family have requested that Dr. Hamilton or Dr. Agnew shall remain here until the president is beyond all danger, and when it was learned that Dr. Agnew could not get here in time, Dr. Hamilton agreed to stay till he comes. The members of the cabinet joined in the request that one or the other of the consulting surgeons remain here.

Dr. Boynton, who stays at the White House, said to-night that it is his opinion that the operation of yesterday has relieved the president of the danger he was in, and that he will now get well.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The *Evening Post's* Washington dispatch says: "Dr. Agnew, it is learned, is very anxious to locate the bullet, and thinks it important that it should be removed from the body if it can possibly be done with safety. He experimented yesterday on an old soldier from the Soldiers' Home who has a bullet in his body, but not altogether satisfied with the electrical apparatus of Professor Bell. The electricians thought they had definitely located the bullet in the old soldier's body, but Dr. Agnew did not agree with them. Some of the physicians begin to think that the ball, after all, may not have touched the liver, and that it has lodged in the muscles in the lower part of the back.

CLINTON, ILL., July 25.—After a careful investigation it has been ascertained that the army worm, of which so much has been said the last few days, has not done the damage that was reported. The wheat crop in central Illinois was nearly all harvested before it came. There are myriads of them here, however, and they have damaged the hay somewhat. There is more fear of the chinch bugs, which are attacking the corn, than from the army worm.

THE time that has elapsed since the attempt upon the president's life has, in one respect, left the country better prepared for the sad event of his death than if the bullet of Guiteau had been speedily fatal. There has been a discussion of the character of Vice-President Arthur which has greatly elevated that gentleman in popular esteem. The clamor against him at first was disgraceful. He was denounced by men who knew nothing whatever about him; he was placed upon a level with the lowest vagabonds of ward politics. He stands, we are happy to say, in a different light before the country now. His assailants have been compelled to acknowledge their error, and it is confessed on all hands that he was for a while the victim of personal prejudice. We do not hear it said now, as it was openly declared two weeks ago, that "not the least of the calamities involved in the death of the president would be the succession of Chester A. Arthur to the presidency."


HENRY'S CARBOLIC SALVE.

The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all kinds of Skin Eruptions, Freckles and Pimples. The salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Be sure you get HENRY'S CARBOLIC SALVE, as all others are but imitations. Price 25 cts For sale by all druggists. No. 2
For sale by Irwin & Priest.

DR. MOTT'S LIVER PILLS are the best Cathartic Regulators. No. 2
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DR. GREEN'S OXYGENATED BITTERS Are a cheap and simple remedy for Dyspepsia and Billousness in all their worst forms. It is a well-known preparation, and has been known and endorsed by physicians for many years, and has been used by thousands of sufferers in all parts of the world as a Standard and Reliable Remedy. No. 2
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DR. ROGER'S VEGETABLE WORM SYRUP instantly destroys worms and removes the secretions which cause them. 2
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BAKER'S PAIN PANACEA cures pain in Man and Beast. For use externally and internally. No. 2
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DURNO'S CATARRH SNUFF cures Catarrh and all affections of the mucous membrane
For sale by Irwin & Priest.


CINCINNATI paid $12,000,000 last year in taxes upon whisky and tobacco, and had nearly four hundred deaths last week from "overheating."

### Scientific Advancement.

Scientific advancement, it has been remarked, has been slower and less noticeable in the care of the sick and the treatment of disease than in any other department of human knowledge. The life or death of a patient is too frequently a mere matter of accident or chance. Some great discoveries, however, have been made and certain remedies are known and used with almost infallible curative results. Such a remedy is TARAVINE where a deranged liver is involved, or where disease of the Bowels, Kidneys or Spleen prevail. Dr. A. J. Stoner, Agent. 3


DRY GOODS, a job lot, very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs'. 8—d&wtf

SEE the new Shell and Jet Bracelets, just received at the
22-d&wlw CHEAP STORE.

WANTED.—A good blacksmith. Apply to P. Contevill, Assumption, Illinois
24-d1m

BUTTON or side lace shoes worth $2.00 at other stores, closed out at J. W. Baker's for $1.50. July16 d&wtf

Go to Dr. A. J. Stoner, south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled.—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents.
Feb. 28—d1tf

You ought to examine shoes at J. W. Baker's. apr30dtf


### Prices of Milk.

Owing to the increase of the price of labor, feed, etc., connected with our business, we, the undersigned dairymen of the city of Decatur, notify the public the after the 20th day of July, 1881, we will sell and deliver milk at the following prices:

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| 16 quarts | $1 00 |
| 32 pints | 1 00 |
| By the half gallon, 18 quarts | 1 00 |
| By 1 gallon, 20 quarts | 1 00 |

Three gallons and upward, 18 cents per gallon.

DODWELL & KLITZ,
J. W. BARBER,
FRANK MOSER,
ED. BROOKS,
SAM'L CHAPPEL,
EDWARD WADE.

July 21d1w.

THE objections to the metal tip upon children's shoes do not hold good against the A. S. T. Co.'s beautiful Black Tip, and it is time parents were enquiring for them, for fine shoes as well as common, as they reduce shoe bills one-half.
21-d&w1w

CARTER'S Little Liver Pills are free from all crude and irritating matter. Concentrated medicines only; very small; easy to take; no pain, no griping; no purging. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen. 20

ONE hundred summer pants patterns, domestic and imported goods, to be sold out at reduced prices, perfect fit guaranteed, at Fleury's the French Cutter.
11 d&wtf

E. B. PRATT has connected a variety store with his grocery, and invites all to give him a call. No. 37 North Church street June29-d&w3mos


# 20 Per Cent. Off.

To give our customers the BEST BARGAINS they have seen for many days, and to clean out our stock of Summer Goods, we, from to-day, FOR CASH, will deduct 20 PER CT. OFF all goods sold, except Prints and Muslins, until the first of September.

We reduce two cases best Summer Prints from 8 1-3 to 6 1-4, to close.

As this brings our entire stock down, instead of a few leaders to be made up on something else, you will do well to take advantage of it.

# F. L. HAYS & CO.

July 25—d&wtf

We would like to keep before your notice the following facts:

1st. We show you MORE PATTERNS, later Styles, and a great many goods not to be found in any other store in the city.

2d. We keep all medium grades of goods as well as the FINER GRADES; consequently we can please every one.

3d. We keep a Beautiful Line of DIAMONDS.

4th. We do the HANDSOMEST ENGRAVING free on all goods sold.

5th. We positively show you any kind of goods for less money than any house in the city. You should see our goods and let us have an opportunity to show you OUR PRICES and convince you that we advertise ONLY FACTS.

# OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

July 7, 1881—d&w1y

## BABY BUGGIES!

### Children's Carriages!

### Sleeping Coaches!

—ALL— NEW PATTERNS —FROM— SELECT FROM

GOOD GOODS AT VERY LOW PRICES.

THOUSANDS NOW IN DAILY USE.

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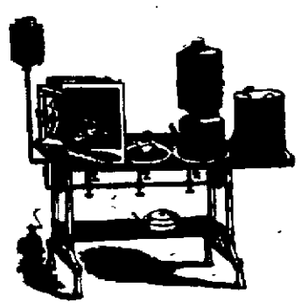

ECONOMICAL COOKING STOVE. Several Sizes and Styles.

## FURNITURE, STOVES, BEDS,

### BED ROOM OUTFITS!

### DINING ROOM OUTFITS!

### KITCHEN OUTFITS!

In fact, almost everything you want for Housekeeping, all at the VERY LOWEST PRICES, at

# LIDDLE'S MAMMOTH STORES,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

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The Daily Republican.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 26, 1881.

## CITY DEPARTMENT.

REFRIGERATORS, an elegant assortment, very cheap to make room for other goods, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

COOL nights again.

SEE the parade to-morrow.

WHEAT is slipping down in price in Chicago.

THERE were 115 scholars at the teacher's institute to-day.

TRADE DOLLARS taken at par at the
26-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

EXTRA police will be on duty all day to-morrow.

HAVE you got this off yet—

Did the hammock "Olivette"
Feloniously upset?
Yes, you bet,
It did upset,
For it got "overhet"
After getting too wet,
And not just yet
Will the owner forget
The fall he did get
When the same upset!

FRANK D. PROVOST has succeeded R. N. Ham in the grain and feed business on Prairie street, and is now in full charge of the store.

CALL for Schroeder's famous Bohemian cigars, sold by all first-class dealers.

W. L. FERGUSON keeps the best gasoline in the city for vapor stoves.
July 20-d1m

ALL are cordially invited to attend the special religious services at the Christian church. Elder Tyler will preach this evening as usual.

THINGS looked booming in front of Charles W. Challis' store in postoffice block this forenoon. He received a part of his big stock of boots and shoes for the fall trade to day.

THE greatest variety of the best perfumery and toilet goods in the city at W. C. Armstrong's popular drug store.

A CAR load of fine Missouri watermelons just received at D. H. Heilman's. They will be sold at wholesale or retail
25d3t

THE Forepaugh tents will be pitched on the ground east of North Water street, where the Coup exhibition was given on June 17th.

GENT'S Unlaundried Shirts very cheap, at the Popular New York Store. d&w1t

THE new bridge to be built across the Sangamon will span the river about fifty feet north of Maffit's old dam site. It will be one of the best iron bridges on the river. The work will be commenced within the next 10 or 12 days.

GOOD prints at 4 cents a yard. All the best prints at 7 cents.
July23 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

SEE that the doors of your dwelling are locked and the windows down to-morrow morning when you come up town to see the great parade.

THE premium list of the 18th annual fair of the Piatt county board is at hand. The fair is to be held at Monticello August 15th to 19th inclusive. There will be running, trotting and pacing in connection with the fair The purses amount to $850

NEW Carpets, new Wall-papers, new modes of decorating, new prices. Abel & Locke are turning things upside down See their card in another place.
24-d&wtf

HERE is a paragraph that is going the rounds of the newspapers: "An institution called 'Christ's healing Institute' has been established at Asbury Park, N J.—It is proposed to use no medicines, but to heal all manner of diseases by earnest application and prayer."

LADIES Muslin Underwear and Gauze Undervests, from 25 cents each, upward, at the Popular New York Store. d&w1t

NICELY furnished rooms to rent in a private family of two persons only. To gentlemen reference will be required.
July 20—d1mo MRS. B. N. HENKLE.

BACKACHE is almost immediately relieved by wearing one of Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters. Try one and be free from pain. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen. 20

READ what Emma Thursby and Maurice Strakosch say of the *Haines Bros. Piano:*

MESSRS. HAINES BROS.—*Gentlemen:* Having had an opportunity of using one of your New Concert Upright Piano-fortes, at the Madison Square Theatre, New York, we beg to compliment you upon the great success you have achieved as manufacturers of the first rank. Your pianos are really excellent. They far surpassed our expectations and we are very much pleased with them. Wishing you all success, we remain
Very truly yours,
EMMA C. THURSBY,
MAURICE STRAKOSCH.

A fine stock of these celebrated pianos can be seen and bought reasonable at Prescott's City Music Store
26-d2w1

THE St. Louis cigar makers have inaugurated a strike. They want an increase in the rates paid for seed work. The new scale of rates is: Seed work—4½ inches and not above, $8; 4½ inches, $9; 4½ inches, $10; 5 inches, $11. Seed and Havana, 3½ to 5 inches, $9, $10, $11, $12, $13, $14 Clear Havana—4 to 5 inches, $13, $14, $15, $16 and $17. The foregoing union prices are what the men want.

OREN CATLIN, 49 Pearl street, N. Y., says: I have tried various remedies for the Piles, but found no permanent relief until I tried Doctor Thomas' Eclectric Oil; a few applications has entirely cured I use, and I cheerfully recommend it to those who suffer from this annoying complaint.
For sale by Dr. Stoner. 26

RUBBER NAME STAMPS and Initials with complete outfits, at
June 7-d&wtf A. J. WALLACE & Co.'s.

SMART Weed and Belladonna combined with the other ingredients used in the best porous plasters, make Carter's S. W. & B. Backache Plasters the best in the market. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen. 20

FLANNEL sailor suits for children at Fleury's the French Cutter. 11d&wtf

A LARGE tabernacle and a number of water-proof tents have been erected on the Sulphur Springs grounds near Camargo, in Douglas county, where the Illinois State Holiness Association will hold their annual camp meeting, commencing on August 2d and closing August 10th. A great number of celebrated ministers will be present, including the Rev. Thos. Harrison, the noted evangelist boy preacher of Boston. The Camargo camp meeting grounds are the most noted in the state, one of the leading features being a number of cool, running sulphur springs, the waters of which are said to contain great medicinal properties. The I., D. & S. Co. will sell excursion tickets to the grounds from Decatur and other points, on the road at one fare for the round trip.

THE Macon county teachers' institute, now in progress at the high school building, promises to be a huge success. There were 108 teachers enrolled yesterday afternoon, being the largest number in attendance on the first day of any institute in the state in the history of Illinois school work. The number will be increased to 140 to 150 before the four weeks' session is concluded. There are teachers and new beginners present from all parts of this county, and each of the surrounding counties has one or more teachers in attendance receiving instructions. The daily sessions will begin at 8 a. m. and close at 12 o'clock noon. The afternoons and evenings will be devoted to study.

At the Soldiers' and Sailors' Reunion to be held at Bloomington on Sept. 7th to 9th inclusive, there will be valuable prizes offered for rifle shooting, drilling artillery and infantry, and for the best bands of music. A large fort will be built. Six batteries of artillery will certainly attend, and there is good prospect for ten more. The exercises will continue three days, and include a grand sham battle, artillery practice, bombardment of the fort at night, etc. All old soldiers and citizens generally are invited to attend the reunion. Excursion rates on the Central.

MR. BACON, of Champaign, was in the city yesterday making preliminary arrangements for the immediate erection of a large wholesale wrapping paper warehouse on the corner of North Main and Eldorado streets. The family residence which he will also build, will occupy ground between the corner and W. J. Condell's residence, and will front on Eldorado street.

YESTERDAY the finding of a lost canary bird was advertised in these columns, and before the ink was dry on the paper, there were no less than three applications at this office for the bird, and several others called this forenoon to make inquiries about the lost singer. There must be a good many lost canaries in Decatur. The bird has been claimed by James Hart.

ON Wednesday, August 3d, the German Methodist Sunday school picnic will be given at Senator Moffett's Grove, southwest of Decatur. The Madison church and Blue Mound Chapel Sunday schools are specially invited to join their Decatur friends in this picnic, and the public generally are also invited to visit the grove and participate in the exercises of the day.

SERVICES at eight o'clock in the Young Men's Christian Association rooms this evening All members and others are urged to attend The young men of our city are especially invited to be present Strangers cordially welcomed. Gospel services the character of all meetings held in these rooms.

QUINCY is making a strong pull for the I. N. G. Encampment. The Mayor of that city has sent in a taking bid and now Springfield is humping herself to secure the prize. Decatur is still silent The matter will be decided early next month.

THE case of the City of Decatur against Amanda Kitchen and Ann Houston, charged by Joe Dansby with keeping a disreputable house, has been continued for trial until Tuesday, August 2d, before Justice Albert.

AT the meeting of Decatur Lodge of Good Templars held last night, D. L. Bunn was elected Worthy Chief Templar, Mrs Henry Stafford, Worthy Vice, and Emma Williams Worthy Secretary

THE posters have arrived in Decatur giving the date of the Greene county fair, to be held at Carrollton, Ill.—Oct 18 to 21 inclusive. One of the illustrated bills may be seen at Treasurer Wood's office

**Lost.**

A child's gold necklace, near W. C. Armstrong's residence last Sunday. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at Armstrong's drug store, or at his residence on West Prairie street.

**Library Notice.**

No more books will be loaned from the library until after removal to the new quarters in Court House Block. Those having books out are requested to return them at their earliest convenience—certainly by the first of August. By order of
19dtd President of Board of Directors.

**Wanted.**

reliable girl to take charge of the housework in a family of three. Reference required. E. PHILBROOK,
27 dtf. 60 W. Prairie St.

**Lost,**

A key ring with two keys attached. The finder will please return them to this office. 25 dtf

**Decatur Coal.**

Send your orders for Decatur coal to Ed. Martin. They will be promptly attended to. 13d2w

**Hosiery.**

The largest and most complete line in the state, at greatly *reduced prices.*
25-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

**WORTH CHERISHING.**

Acquaintance born and nourished in adversity is worth cherishing. Acquaintance with the merits of Spring Blossom in cases of dyspepsia or indigestion should be carefully cherished. Prices, $1; 50 cts; trial bottles 10c.

**"A Tale of Two Towns."**

The following introductory paragraph to a lengthy write-up of a "rescue" appeared in the Springfield *Journal* of to-day:

Quite a sensation was created in a limited circle Sunday morning, by the appearance in this city of a prominent merchant of Decatur, in search of his missing wife, who left her home on Thursday last for the alleged purpose of paying a visit to friends in Springfield. Efforts were made to keep the whole affair a secret from the public, but a *Journal* reporter last night obtained an inkling of the facts, and they are herewith presented.

The "facts" are simply a statement of how the truant "wife" was discovered in the Eva Montague house of ill-repute, and the successful effort of the Decaturite in inducing the wayward female to leave the place, but no names appear in the article, leaving everything in the dark. Our reporter has made an investigation and finds that the article is incorrect in several respects. On Sunday morning Capt. C. A. Minckley went to Springfield in response to a letter from Capt. Wheaton West, who is now residing at the state capital, to perform an act of kindness for him. It seems that about a week ago a daughter of West's, whose age is about 16, left Decatur for Springfield to look after her cousin who went there some months ago. The object of Miss West's visit at the capital was to find her cousin and endeavor if possible to induce her to return to her mother, who resides a few miles southwest of Decatur. Miss West's prolonged absence grew alarming, and Capt. Minckley was the mutual friend who being a comparative stranger at Springfield, was the instrument of saving a young girl from a life of shame and restoring her to her father, who will doubtless bring her back to Decatur in a few days. Capt. Minckley got home on Sunday night. Mrs. Minckley is at Kokomo, Ind., visiting her aunt.

**Changing Residences.**

Mr. R. R. Montgomery has sold his family residence on North Main street to Mrs. John Beall for $2,500, taking the Beall premises on West Cerro Gordo st. as part payment. Mr. Montgomery will move his household effects this week to Dr. King's homestead property, north of the Wabash road, lately occupied by Mrs. H. B. Durfee and children. It is a large brick building, and will be fitted up by Mr. R. at considerable expense in good shape. Dr. and Mrs. King will also occupy the building, which is to be painted at once. Mrs. Durfee is now installed in her new frame dwelling on South Union st., opposite Hon. Jason Rogers' residence.

**Miss Mattie E. Stuart's School.**

Mattie E. Stuart closed the spring term of school at Evans, Austin township, July 1st. In order to keep in the "beaten track" the school closed with a picnic, which was well attended by the parents, considering the rush of farm work. The school was called at the usual hour at the school house, followed by the morning exercise, with a few recitations, while the school was waiting for the grass to dry; after which the children, in procession, went to Hickory Grove, one-half mile distant, where were some of the patrons and friends awaiting them. After singing we were dismissed, and a delicious dinner was spread, to which all did justice. While the dinner was being cleared away, the pupils, and those that were not otherwise employed, enjoyed themselves at swinging and playing croquet. At two o'clock the school was gathered together, and recitations, declamations and dialogues, by the pupils, interspersed by vocal and instrumental music; also a recitation by Mrs. Ritchie, of Warrensburg, followed. Mr Ritchie made a short talk, after which Mr. Trainer made a most interesting talk to the children on school and its advantages. Quite a number of prizes were given for punctuality and perfect lessons Thus closed the term and last day of the school taught by Miss Mattie Stuart, of Oreana, it being the third in succession taught by her at that place. J.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Report of the school at Evans' school house, in Austin township, for the spring term: Average attendance in April, 18; in May, 22; in June, 17; No. enrolled during the term, 27; average daily attendance, 19.

Diplomas of honor were given for regular attendance to Gertie Woody, Minnie, Alice and Arthur Jump, Lizzie and Maggie Stork, Mary Balcom and Robert Curry.

MATTIE E. STUART, Teacher.

NEVER TOO LATE TO MEND.

Thos. Arden, William street, East Buffalo, writes: Your Spring Blossom has worked on me splendid. I had no appetite, used to sleep badly and got up in the morning unrefreshed; my breath was very offensive and I suffered from severe headache; since using Spring Blossom these symptoms have vanished and I feel quite well. 26

RIBBONS!

300 Pieces,

Comprising all shades, in Nos 4, 5 and 7, at 5c per yard. CHEAP STORE.
26-d&w1w

THE simplest and best regulator of the Disordered Liver in the world, are Carter's Little Liver Pills. They give prompt relief in Sick Headache, Dizziness, Nausea, etc.; prevent and cure Constipation and piles, remove Sallowness and Pimples from the Complexion, and are mild and gentle in their operation on the bowels Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and as easy to take as sugar. One pill a dose Price 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 20

**Two More Excursions**

Over the Illinois Central railroad to Clear Lake, Iowa. Everybody who can possibly spend the time should go on the excursion of July 25th. The great Band Tournament and Musical Festival at Clear Lake begins July 25. Prof. D. S. McCosh with his band class of 300 instruments, and Prof. J. R. Stillman with his chorus of 300 voices, will give a concert on the Lake the evening of August 1st, which alone will be worth the entire expense to Clear Lake and return. Don't forget the time July 25th, 3:40 p. m., and August 1st, 2:40 p. m. Fare for round trip $9.60, tickets good for 60 days.
July 20-d&wtd.

SPLENDID Lace Buntings in Seal Brown, Black, Cream, Light Blue and Pink, only 10 cents a yard, at the Popular New York Store. d&w1t

BORTREE'S Duplex Corset Skirt Supporters, $1, at Linn & Scruggs.
June 18-d

ANOTHER large lot of linen and flannel suits for children just received by Fleury the French Cutter, corner of old square.
11d&wtf

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Freely B. Caldwell departed for Taylorville on the early train this morning. He will also visit Beardstown, and return home to-night.

Rev. T. D. Weems, of Logan county, passed through Decatur last evening and paid his respects to the REPUBLICAN office.

Rev. J. R. Locke is absent on a six week's visit in the east. He will visit Toledo, Lake Chatauqua and cities and towns in Pennsylvania.

Miss Hattie Ullman and Hattie Newman, two society young ladies of Peoria, are the guests of Mrs. Thomas Andrews, on South Main street.

J. F. Roach and Daniel T. Sloan have gone to Ft. Wayne, Ind., to join a pleasure party, that will visit Traverse City, Central Lake and all the intermediate lakes and points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood and three children, arrived in the city this morning from Nashville, Tenn., and will remain here visiting relatives and friends for two weeks or longer. Howard was for a long time the main-stay compositor on the *Decatur Magnet.*

Rev. Horace Reed, of Jacksonville, was in the city last evening for a few hours, and paid us a short call. He had just returned from Georgetown, Ill., where he dedicated a new Methodist church on Sunday. He couldn't pass Decatur without stopping off and greeting his many friends.

**Do So Some More.**

The officers of the law swooped down upon a bad gang at Imboden's Springs, last evening, and captured four men and one woman of loose morals, who had been killing time and conducting themselves in an unseemly manner beneath the shade of the trees and in the adjacent brush nearly all day. The officers were Mason, Brewer and McCabe, who promptly corralled the party and landed all but one in the cooler. One of the men paid a fine of $4, and was permitted to skulk away. The other parties got their legal doses this morning. The female was a Terre Haute street walker, and the men were E. O'Connor, Frank Tugle, Frank Shipt and E. Kreamerer. It is to be hoped that the police will continue in the laudable work of ridding the grounds surrounding the springs and all other quarters of the idle and worthless male and female bums. Howell's pasture is a common resort for vagrants and should be visited by the officers once or twice a day

**The Wabash System.**

The Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Railway, as at present constituted, presents a marked contrast to what it was before the Gould combination secured it. The immense system, as it appears on the map, is something remarkable to study over. Its many divisions, with long stretches, some of which parallel each other, require a vast army of officials, clerks, agents, conductors, engineers, brakemen and laborers to operate it. The equipment has steadily been improved since Gould and his associates obtained it, and the Wabash bids fair to become one of the largest and most powerful railways in the civilized world. The rapid rate at which the Wabash is acquiring new branches has prompted the inquiry as to whether or not the company could show this year a comparative increase in earning over 1880, allowing a proportion for the additional mileage; or, in other words, are the new roads recently acquired earning more than they did last year? As this might interest the public at large, from the fact that people are generally desirous of learning something of the operations of such an institution as the Wabash, the matter was investigated, and it is found that the earnings of this company are considerably ahead of the amount realized for the same number of months last year. Including the recent purchases of new lines and the projected branches to be completed within the next six months, it is estimated that by January 1, 1882, the Wabash will have something like 3,500 miles of road in operation.

**In Memoriam.**

DIED—Near Niantic, on July 22, 1881, of inflammation of the bowels, HORACE C., son of A. C. and Elsie R. Edgar, aged 7 years and 9 months.

LINES WRITTEN ON THE DEATH OF HORACE CLARK EDGAR.

Horace! flower of heavenly bloom,
Why hast thou faded out so soon,
And like a transient meteor fled,
To join the silent members of the dead?

Thy sparkling eyes in death are closed,
No more thy cheeks are like the rose,
Thy beauty's faded like the flower,
And changed in one brief hour.

Thine earthly life was but a day,
Why want thou called so soon away,
To leave thy home, thy parents dear,
To sleep in silent shades so drear?

Why didst thou leave this earth so soon,
Just when thy joyous youth began to bloom,
And e'en before thou couldst discern,
That thou shouldst die like all in turn?

Returning springs may cause the flowers to bloom,
And nature all combine to beautify thy tomb,
Yet crawling worms thy flesh shall eat,
And thus their great creator's purpose keep.

A sister's pliant hand may plant the vine,
Around the budding rose it may entwine,
A father's hand may plant the weeping tree,
Whose drooping limbs will hang o'er thee.

A father's care may place the sculptured stone,
To keep thy memory as his own,
A mother oft may mourn thy loss,
Yet o'er thy tomb will gather moss,

Yet from this lonely dungeon of the grave,
Where sleeps the mighty and the brave,
Thy soul shall leap on pinions soft,
And bourgeon in the heavens aloft.

Thus freed from earth its infant home,
It shall through endless ages roam,
And like a star whose maker is divine,
It shall forever and forever shine.

No earthly friends need sorrow then,
For thou thy onward course shalt wend,
Far, far beyond the sorrows of the tomb,
Where youth eternal shall forever bloom.

## MARRIED.

By Rev. Dr. Goodwin, at the parsonage of the First M. E. Church, July 25, 1881, Mr. THOMAS REARDEN and MISS JANE M. OLLER, both of Decatur.

## DIED.

In this city on Monday afternoon, July 25th, of fever, PATRICK RYAN, aged 19 years and 10 months.

The funeral will take place from the Catholic church this afternoon.

FORGIVENESS and a smile are the best revenge. Good health makes happiness and Dr. Marshall's Bromoline makes good health. Only 50 cents, and big bottles Sold by druggists. 23

## LIVING PYRAMIDS.

**Twenty Trained Elephants Coming to Decatur To-Morrow.**

In Forepaugh's Great Show, which is to exhibit in this city to-morrow, there will be presented the extraordinary spectacle of twenty elephants all performing in the arena at the same time. The Philadelphia *News*, alluding to this feature of Mr Forepaugh's show, says:

"This mighty herd of mastodons filed into the grand amphitheatre like moving mountains; obedient to the commands of their trainer, they rear their ponderous bodies into colossal bodies, almost touching the dome of the lofty canvas, filling with awe, admiration and wonder the mind of the spectator, and forcibly illustrating the Almighty's decree that unto man is given 'dominion over every living thing that moveth upon the earth. Never has there been presented to the public, in any period of the world's history, not even when Rome was in the zenith of her power and glory, and thousands of wild beasts were slaughtered to make a single holiday, not then, nor at any subsequent period has there ever been exhibited twenty performing elephants, disciplined and trained to execute such a series of truly astonishing acts as this great herd of mastodons daily perform.

They present the most awe-inspiring, amazing, thrilling spectacle of animal sagacity ever offered to the public. These representatives from the land of Brahma, Shiva and Vishnu were (formerly used in the sacred and spectacular displays customary in that distant region, and wherever they appear never fail to excite the most unbounded applause, wonder and admiration of all who witness their marvelous manoeuvers. Thousands are flocking daily to see this, the greatest herd of trained mastodons the world ever saw. They all appear in Living Pyramids, Elephantine Dances, Military Evolutions, Play upon Musical Instruments, Stand upon their Heads, Pick up Needles and Pins, Uncork Bottles and Drink their Contents, Engage in Racing, Walk, Posture and Balance upon the Tight Rope, and also introduce and perform a grand Elephantine Pantomime, prepared expressly for them, wherein they exhibit all the emotions of love, hatred, anger, pride, fear, jealousy, grief, mirth, and other human attributes, leaving no doubt in the minds of the spectators but that these majestic brutes reflect and comprehend the nature of cause and effect."

**Spare the Horses.**

The following hints, clipped from an exchange, are very reasonable: "A merciful man is merciful to his beast." Take care of your horses this warm weather. You can kill one almost before you know it. Drive very slow and carefully for the first hour or so after feeding, especially if the journey is long or the animal has been feeding on grass. See that they sweat freely, for if the sweat dries in there is something wrong. Water often—every half hour, or hour, if possible—giving only one or two gallons each time. There are more horses injured from overdriving during the first hour's drive after feeding than during all the remainder of a day's journey. By giving a little attention to this there will be but few horses disabled from over heat.

STANDARD Calicoes at 5 and 5½ for choice patterns, at the Popular New York Store. d&w1t

COLONEL MARIBUS.

Cholera morbus may be encouraged by frequent doses of pickled salmon and cucumbers. It may be increased by eating unripe plums, and may be cured by Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.
For sale by Dr. Stoner 26

AT LESS THAN COST PRICES.

**Lace Mitts and Lisle Gloves,**

In almost unbroken varieties, and comprising the handsomest goods in the market. CHEAP STORE.
25—d&w1w

**She Got It Free of Charge.**

Call at Stoner's drug store and get a sample bottle of Brown's Expectorant free of charge. It cures coughs, hoarseness, whooping cough, and consumption in its early stages.

It is a scientific preparation, admirably adapted for the cure of all throat and lung diseases. It is pleasant to take and entirely harmless.

Try it. It costs you nothing. Regular size bottles 50 cents and $1.00 For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. July8,1&w6mo

**For Rent.**

One good room, either furnished or unfurnished. Inquire at No. 24 South Franklin street. 20-d1w

**Decatur and Mt. Olive Coal.**

Orders left at Peter Ullrich's grocery store for either Decatur or Mt. Olive coal will receive prompt attention
21d1m J. H VENNEKOHOLZ.

WE have great faith in the cure of dyspepsia, constipation, general debility, torpid liver and all summer complaints by Dr. Marshall's Big Bromoline.—*Dakota State Gazette* 23

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Rollins' Commission Rooms at 1 p. m. to-day.

CHICAGO, July 26.

Wheat—$1.19¼ July; $1.20 Aug; $1.14 Sept; $1.13 Oct.; $1.12 year.

Corn—49 July; 49½ Aug; 48 Sept; 48½ Oct; 46½ year.

Oats—44¼ July; 30½ Aug; 29½ Sept; 30 Oct;

Pork—$18.35 Aug; $18.22 Sept.

Lard—$10.97 Aug; $10.75 Sept.

UNION STOCK YARDS

Hogs—Estimated receipts, 17,000; market opened active; prices 5 to 10 cts higher.

| | RECEIPTS. | SHIPMENTS. |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat—bushels. | 52,564 | 15,450 |
| Corn — " | 479,781 | 240,666 |
| Oats — " | 114,869 | 295,324 |

Car lots—Wheat, 146; corn, 952; oats, 141.

TOLEDO, July 26.

Wheat—$1.21½ July; $1.21½ Aug; $1.22½ Oct; $1.19½ Year.

Corn—52¼ July; 50¼ Aug; 50 Sept; 47½ year.

SECURE A

HOME!

To parties desiring to build this season we offer

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS.

We will sell desirable Lots in our additions to those who will make suitable improvements, on

1 TO 5 YEARS' TIME,

Requiring

NO MONEY DOWN,

Thus enabling them to apply the means they have entirely to building.

WARREN & DURFEE,

No. 14 North Water St.

July 1, 1881—dtf

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

DRY GOODS!

—COMPRISING—

Spring & Summer Dress Goods

At one-half their value.

*PRINTS at 4 and 5 cts., worth 6 and 8.*
*RIBBONS at 15, 25 and 50, worth 40, 50 and 85.*
*HOSIERY, GLOVES, CORSETS, PARASOLS, EMBROIDERIES, LACE TOP GLOVES, LADIES' GAUZE UNDERWEAR, BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS,*

LADIES' JACKETS,
DOLMANS,
SUMMER SHAWLS,
NAPKINS,
QUILTS AND TOWELS.

Purchasers will find *no exaggeration in quality or price* of goods named.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

DRY GOODS and CARPETS.

Decatur, June 14, 1881—d&wtf

FLEURY,

—THE—

French Cutter!

SAVE MONEY! READ PRICES!

MEN'S SUMMER COATS, 40 CTS.
MEN'S WOOL HATS, 40 "
MEN'S SUITS, $2.50 AND $3.50.
BOYS' COATS, 30 CTS.
BOYS' WOOL HATS, 25 CTS.
HEAVY OVERALLS, 40 CTS.
&C., &C., &C.,

—AT THE—

POPULAR ONE-PRICE CLOTHING

—AND—

Merchant Tailoring Establishment,

CORNER OF OLD SQUARE.

ONE PRICE ONLY.

Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

Great Reduction in Merchant Tailoring Goods for the Next Thirty Days.

FLEURY, THE FRENCH CUTTER.

Decatur, July 22, 1881—d&wtf

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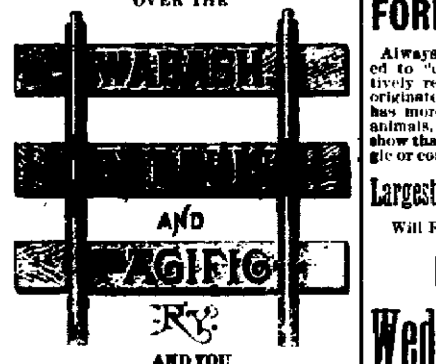
OVER THE

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Why it is termed the popular

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OF AMERICA.

**2500** MILES OF ROAD reaching in the most direct manner all of the GREAT CITIES OF THE WEST, running the Finest Passenger Equipment and the most extended Through Car System on the Continent.

## THROUGH TICKETS

*To all Points East, West, North or South,* And Baggage Checked from Starting Point to Destination.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

### Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express.......7:05 a. m
" 4 Atlantic Express.......12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express.......10:55 p. m
" 8, Bement Accommodation.......7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East.......10:30 a. m
Going ".......5:15 p. m
Going ".......4:00 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line.......4:35 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation, 6:50 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail.......3:40 p. m
" 1, Through Express.......7:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west.......1:45 p. m
Going ".......11:30 p. m

### Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 48, Chicago Express.......12:25 a. m
" 46, Through Express.......7:15 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail.......12:15 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express.......3:15 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail.......5:45 p. m
" 41, Through Express.......7:15 p. m

### St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express.......3:55 a. m
" 43, Fast Line.......5:05 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom., 6:30 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail.......3:50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express.......12:15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express.......11:55 a. m
" , St. Louis and Decatur Accom., 9:15 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express.......10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West.......7:30 a. m
Arrive from West.......2:00 p. m

### Champaign Division.

Arrive from East.......10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign.......20:0 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, or any information, call on or address
J. C. GAULT, Gen. Manager, H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent, ST. LOUIS,
Or K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

## ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Feb. 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Mail and Express.......11:25 a. m.
Way Freight.......7:00 a. m.
Through Freight.......7:40 p. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express.......12:50 p. m.
Way Freight.......7:22 a. m.
Through Freight.......8:15 p. m.

N. E. ADAMS, Agent.

## Peoria Decatur & Evansville R'y

Take this Line for

**Burlington, Council Bluffs, Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.**

GOING EAST.

Passenger.......10 40 a. m.
".......10 25 p. m.
Freight.......4 10 p. m.

GOING WEST.

Passenger.......7 15 a. m.
".......3 20 p. m.
Freight.......11 00 a. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Supt.
L. M. RUPERT, G. P. A.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 1, 1880.

## ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 24, 1878.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger.......6:45 a m
Accommodation.......3:40 p m
Freight.......4:30 "

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation.......10:56 a m
Passenger.......5:25 p m
Freight.......9:20 a m

E. P. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

## THE FRENCH CUTTER.

# JAMES VEALE,

# MERCHANT TAILOR,

**The ONLY NEW YORK CUTTER in this city, brought here in 1870 by Linn & Scruggs.**

I have just received my Spring Stock, and am prepared to make them up in the most fashionable styles and at the most reasonable terms. Having received the second premium in the cutting school of 600 cutters, and having been in that capacity in Decatur, in the employ of Linn & Scruggs for over three years, and with seven years more experience, the people of Decatur and vicinity may always expect satisfaction, and being my own cutter, I cannot be undersold.

**JAMES VEALE,**

Prairie st., one door West of Water.

March 4, 1881—d&wtf.

# MEN WANTED!

To work ten miles north of Springfield, on the

**Cantrall Drain Tile Works.**

None but good men need apply.

**Also One Engineer.**

Address Cantrall Drain Tile Co., Cantrall, Sangamon county, Ill. Jun6d&wtf

**$5 to $20** per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. Address Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine. feb6d&wly

## 17th ANNUAL TOUR

Of the greatest of all, the GREAT

# FOREPAUGH SHOW!

**Always under one management—never obliged to "combine," or change ownership—positively represents a greater cash investment, originates, owns and exhibits more novelties, has more and better performers, more rare animals, more of everything in the world of show than any and all other exhibitions, single or combined, and now as in the past, is the**

## Largest Tented Exhibition in the World,

Will Exhibit, Afternoon and Evening, at

# DECATUR,

# Wednesday, July 27.

**ZUILA'S ASTOUNDING ACT OF PLAYING THE HARP AND COMPOSEDLY CROSSING THE HIGH WIRE 100 FEET ABOVE THE HEADS OF THE AUDIENCE.**

Everything new for this season. Millions expended for a single holiday; the New World's wonder,

# 20 HUGE PERFORMING ELEPHANTS

And the only Colossal

# Circus in Two Rings!

Mammoth Menagerie, Trained wild Beast Show, and World's Fair Gathering of Earth's Living Wonders. Just added

# 50 TRAINED REASON-GIFTED STALLIONS

Trick Horses and Ponies. All Europe swept of its attractions. Engagement there, first appearance here of the Old World's latest surprising sensation, the great

## Selbini and Villion Troupe of GYMNASTIC BICYCLERS

They Turn Somersaults from Shoulder to Shoulder. Stand Each upon the Others' Heads, 3 Resting on the Wheelman, and 2, 3 and 4 Form Pyramids, and Engage in Juggling and all manner of Surprising Acts.

All Done Upon **BICYCLES** Dashing around the ring at

A 20-Mile Speed.

**A GENUINE AFRICAN HORNED HORSE ADDED TO FOREPAUGH'S GRAND AGGREGATION**

The World Amazed at the miraculous feats of these reckless

## Riders of the Rubber-Hoofed Steed

ZUILA, the Female Blondin, at each exhibition

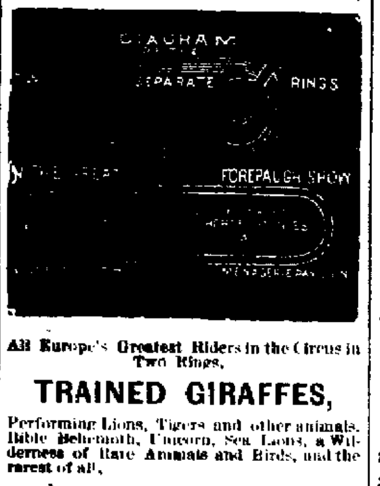
## WHEELING HER BABY

ACROSS A 3/4 INCH WIRE.

# 100 FT. IN MID-AIR!

Riding a Velocipede, and crossing blindfolded the same high wire. LOYAL, the Man-Meteor,

## BLOWN FROM A CANNON,




All Europe's Greatest Riders in the Circus in Two Rings.

## TRAINED GIRAFFES,

Performing Lions, Tigers and other animals. Bible Behemoth, Unicorn, Sea Lions, a Wilderness of Rare Animals and Birds, and the rarest of all,

# 2 WOOLLY ELEPHANTS,

First known to exist in this age of the world, just added. Every forenoon of exhibition day the

## Greatest, Grandest Pageant

Ever beheld upon the streets of an American city: the beautiful Oriental Romance of

# LALLA ROOKH!

Illustrating her departure from Delhi. Now produced for the first time in America. $200,000 expended for this marvelous, moving panorama of beauty, wealth and grandeur, in addition to the

### GRAND DRESS PARADE

And review of all the resources of the Great Forepaugh Show, making the longest, largest, most lavish spectacular street pageant ever made by any show in the Universe. Admission only 50 cents; children under 9 nine years, 25 cents. Exhibitions afternoon and evening at usual hours. Arenic Chairs—Promenade Concerts one hour before commencing by the two great bands. ADAM FOREPAUGH, Sole Proprietor

ADAM FOREPAUGH, Jr., Manager.

# ANOTHER BONANZA!

An inspection of the very recent and fortunate purchases made for us at the GREAT SACRIFICE sales in New York, will convince you that we now offer the greatest and best Bargains ever known to the people of Decatur.

# CASH DOWN!

secured the prize for us, which has just been received, and we give it to the people as follows:

ONE LOT OF BEAUTIFUL

# Lace Buntings at 10c

Colors black, cream, pink, light blue, and seal brown, all worth 20 and 25 cents, but as they were bought away down we shall sell them at 10 cts.

**15 and 12 1-2c Lawns at 10 cents.**

**10c Lawns, fast colors, at 8 cents.**

**Lisle Gloves at 5, 8, 10, 12 1-2, 15, 20 and 25c. a pair, worth double the price.**

**Silk Lace Mitts at 25, 35, 40 and 50c a pair, worth from 40 to 75c.**

**10c Fans at 5c.**
**15c " " 10c.**
**20c " " 15c.**
**30 and 40c Fans reduced to 25c.**

**2 Cases of Best Standard Prints, choice patterns, at 5 3-4c; regular price 8 cents.**

**Second quality of Prints at 5c, and a very good Calico at 4 cents.**

**Ladies' 40 & 45c Gauze Vests at 25c.**

**Ladies' $1 regular made Vests at 75c.**

THIS IS SIMPLY THE

# Greatest Opportunity

the people of Decatur ever had of securing desirable and seasonable goods at mere nominal prices.

**Ladies' regular made Balbriggan Hose 15c.**

**All other qualities Hose at equally low prices.**

Lots of seasonable goods, as well as all the above, will be closed out at half value. Space will only permit us to mention a few.

## None Can Look Through

this great array of bargains without being convinced that this is the greatest bargain sale ever known.

Special lots added daily.

Respectfully,

## POPULAR

# New York Store.

### Clerical Oratory.

*August Atlantic.*

Why do not our preachers study oratory? As preachers, not pastors, their business is to work a certain effect, and all helps to its production it should be a part of the education to learn. I presume I shall not be misunderstood to mean the effect of displaying self, and winning admiration for personal gifts. What the true preacher seeks to do is to inform the intellect with Christian truth; to stir the heart, and thereby influence the will of his hearers. Half the sermons annually preached are, so far as human insight goes, a waste of labor and breath. Two things partly account for this: one is that a majority of the men set to preach are out of their real vocation—good pastors they may be, but fit preachers they are not; another is that those with more aptitude for preaching do not yet understand the means to be employed to attain their object.

Sometimes the preacher has some conception of the needs of human nature, and knows that the truest truths fail to move when put before men in a dull, dry way; perhaps he does his best to acquire a good style, and succeeds in making an ably written discourse. But when he comes into his pulpit to give it to his people, where is the impression it should produce? What becomes of his choice words, his considered sentences? There they lie upon the page he holds; he proceeds to read them. Why do they fail of any result? It is for want of delivery, of the oratorical art of making mere words "tell." His faithful effort goes for little; he seems to his hearers to be reading something to them, as he is—not to be speaking to them from the heart.

### Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Prices, 10cts. 50cts. and $1. If your Lungs are sore, Chest or Back Lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster.

Sold by Henry Smith.

### Answer this Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75c we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them.

For sale by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Head Ache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge.

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BUCKLENS ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

MOODY'S Abdominal Corsets, Bortrees', Dr. Warner's, Glove Fitting, and all the best American and French Corsets, at lower prices than you can find them anywhere else, at LINN & SCRUGGS.
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Upside down.
Public sentiment is being turned upside down by the new modes of decorating walls and ceilings. Abel & Locke's new decorator is busy all the time. He is an inventive genius—originates, never imitates. See specimens of his work on the ceilings at Abel & Locke's store.
21-d&wtf

WE keep everything in our line; low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

GOLD and Silver Fringes, Spangles' Gimp, Lace, Stars, Tassels, Braids and Buttons, at LINN & SCRUGGS.
Dec 20—d&wtf

Two Baby Buggies for sale for less than cost, to close out stock, at A. J. Wallace & Co's. 23-d &wtf.

MUSQUITO Canopies, frames and nets, at LINN & SCRUGGS.
8-d&wtf

HARTFORD and Lowell carpets in new styles and beautiful colorings, just received by Linn & Scruggs
March 26 d&wtf.

IF you have any copying to do take it to A. T. Grist's Gallery, No. 25 Water street. Price as low as any gallery. [mar16tf

J. W. BAKER is closing out slippers at $1.00, marked at other stores in plain figures $1.50. July16-d&wtf

REMEMBER our Bargain Table contains goods at very *low prices*.
1-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

**For Sale.**

Summer Cooking Stoves that never get out of order—on this we challenge the world—at Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store. m14dtf

**In Trouble.**

Wingate, the Lamp store man, says the St. Louis Summer Cooking Stove Factory cannot make stoves as fast as he can sell them; their excellence and cheapness is what's the matter. Everybody that sees them in operation want one right off. [June 3-dtf

# For You, Madam,

**Whose complexion betrays some humiliating imperfection, whose mirror tells you that you are Tanned, Sallow and disfigured in countenance, or have Eruptions, Redness, Roughness or unwholesome tints of complexion, we say use Hagan's Magnolia Balm.**

**It is a delicate, harmless and delightful article, producing the most natural and entrancing tints, the artificiality of which no observer can detect, and which soon becomes permanent if the Magnolia Balm is judiciously used.**

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TRADE MARK.

**The Great Vegetable Blood Medicine.** Guaranteed to cure Syphilis in all stages, Scrofula, Rheumatism, *or any Blood Disease, hereditary or otherwise.*

DRS. GALLOWAY & ROBINSON, Monroe, Ga., say: "Used S. S. S. for twelve months in treatment of Syphilis without disappointment.—Physicians will have to acknowledge it a specific."

Ask the druggist or write for the little book. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga., Prop's. Sold by druggists everywhere. 2

## MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Joseph Cobb and Amassa J. Cobb vs. William M. Cobb, Estella Cobb, Maud Cobb, John H. Myers and Peter Laux—In Partition, No. 11,253.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1881, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

*Friday, the 29th day of July, A. D. 1881,*

at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the west entrance door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lots one, two and three (1, 2 and 3), in block one (1), in Kaufman's Addition to Decatur; also the southeast quarter of lot nine (9) of the southeast quarter of section sixteen (16), in township sixteen (16), north of the base line, range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M. Said sale will be subject to the lease of Peter Laux on said lots 1, 2 and 3: also subject to the lien of the mortgage on said last lots now held by trustees of schools of township 16, north range 4 east of the 3rd P. M.; and also subject to the right of the said Laux to remove any building placed on said last lots by him during the term of his said lease.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third cash in hand, and the balance in two equal installments, maturing in one and two years from such sale, with six per cent. interest per annum until paid, the purchaser to give notes with personal security, and also a mortgage on the premises sold to secure unpaid purchase money; provided that all of said purchase money can be paid on day of sale if desired. Said sale will be absolute, and deeds to purchasers will be made on approval of sale by court.

Decatur, Ill., June 29th, 1881.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
THORNTON, ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Solicitors for Complainants. [June29d4w

**$72** A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. Feb3-d&wly

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

**CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,**

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois
Jan. 1, 1880—d&w

**Mrs. Grindol,** at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.
March 5—dtf

MR. T. B. ELROD, late of Louisville, has connected himself with A. T. Grist in the Photographic Gallery No. 25 Water street, and they make a specialty of fine work. [mar16dtf

**Removed.**

Dr. J. M. Blythe has moved his dental office to rooms over F. L. Hays & Co.'s drug goods store, where he will be pleased to see all persons requiring work on their teeth. July8d1m.*

## Butterick's Spring Pattern Publications

AT HAND TO DAY.

Feb. 17—d&wtf **LINN & SCRUGGS.**

FINE kid button shoes at J. W. Baker's for $2 50, worth $3.00 at other stores.
July16-d&wtf

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

**If you want** mill feed, corn or oats you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S
Dec. 18—d&wtf

FOR cheap goods go to the Bargain Table of Linn & Scruggs.
March 26-d&wtf.

SPECIAL attention is invited to our New Goods, and also to our "Bargain Table," which has very low-priced attractions every day. LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 3-d&wtf

FURNISHING goods, hats and caps a specialty at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

GO TO A. J. Stoner's for *Mrs. Freeman's National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of color are unequalled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds Price 15 cents. dtf

**Shellabarger's** Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. [Dec. 18-d&wtf

**Cash Does the Business.**

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want you trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones. BARBER & BAKER.
d&wtf

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## YOUNG & PASOLD,

DEALERS IN

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# MARBLE!

We also cut and finish all kinds of

## BUILDING STONE, WATER TABLES,

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And all sizes of

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For cemetery or other purposes.

*WE EMPLOY NO AGENTS*
Jan. 23, 1880—d&wtf

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# BUTCHERS

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## SMOKED AND CURED MEATS.

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## HAMS.

Hams, 12 cents; Sliced Ham, 17½ cents; Lard, 12½ cents.

**Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail.**

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Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock Feb19'78d1fd.

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**Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets,**

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RESIDENCE—No. 45, West Prairie street, 4½ blocks due west of the tabernacle.

P. S. In connection with the above, will give attention to FINE GRANITE MONUMENTAL WORK. [Jan18dtf

MRS. DR. HENKLE,

## Clairvoyant, Test and Business Medium,

Business hours from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 P. M., Sundays excepted. Corner of Johns and South Webster streets, Decatur, Ill.

P. S. No business attended to by mail; in person only. July2dtf

**To Nervous Sufferers—The Great European Remedy—Dr. B. Simpson's Specific Remedy.**

It is a positive cure for Spermatorrhea, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, and all diseases resulting from Self-Abuse, as Mental Anxiety, Loss of Memory, Pains in Back or Side, and diseases that lead to Consumption, Insanity and an early grave.—

The Specific Medicine is being used with wonderful success. Pamphlets sent free to all. Write for them and get full particulars.

Price, Specific, $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00.

Address all orders to
J. B. SIMPSON MEDICINE CO.,
Nos. 104 and 106 Main st., Buffalo, N. Y.

Sold in Decatur by Dr. A. J. Stoner.
Oct. 28-d&wly

## NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned will make application to the City Council at its next regular meeting to be held August 1st, 1881, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors in a house situated on Lot 18, Block 7, B. H. Cassell's First Addition to Decatur; said building being owned by Berry H. Cassell.
July 18—d2w ROBT. F. BROWN.

## D. H. TOLMAN & CO.,

164 Randolph St., Chicago.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Bought and Sold, or carried at regular Board of Trade rates. Or margins of one cent per bushel on Wheat, Corn or Oats, 25c per barrel on Pork and 50c per tierce on Lard accepted. Profits and losses limited to extent of margins deposited less commission, no further liability incurred. *Operators will find it to their advantage* to correspond with us. Agents wanted.
July 2—d2mo*

# WILL REMOVE.

# D. J. BLOCK,

So well and favorably known as a caterer in Decatur, having kept a first-class boarding house here for the past seventeen years, will shortly

## Remove to Litchfield, Ill.,

to take possession of the Old City Hotel, which will be refitted and refurnished throughout, and will be kept in first-class style. The table will be supplied with the best the market affords, and the rooms furnished with every convenience and comfort. The house will be known as

# "THE PALACE HOTEL!"

and with his twenty-five years' experience in the hotel business, Mr. Block confidently expects to be able to entertain the traveling public satisfactorily.

"The Palace" will be opened about the 10th of August, when the proprietor hopes to receive a liberal share of the public patronage.
Decatur, July 9, 1881—dtf

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I HAVE OPENED A SMALL STAND at the

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Where I will sell

# TOBACCO

OF ALL KINDS;

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Of the Best Brands manufactured in Decatur (and no other kind;)

Chicago, St. Louis and New York Papers

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## BUTTER, EGGS

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## FINE FRUITS,

which will be bought and sold at the lowest living profit.

**I Will Pay Cash for Everything I Buy**

I hope that my old friends, both from town and country, will not fail to give me a call.

**M. FORSTMEYER.**

March 29, 1881—d&wtf

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BEFORE TAKING. AFTER TAKING.

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THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,

Sold in Decatur by Henry Smith
Jan20-d&wtf

# We have Just Received

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

## BREECH AND MUZZLE-LOADING

# SHOT-GUNS

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Ever seen in Central Illinois, and being

## BOUGHT FOR CASH,

We are enabled to Retail them

## AT WHOLESALE PRICES

## We Warrant Everything as Represented

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK AND PRICES.

## KORSMEYER & O'NEILL,

Prairie St., 2 doors East Post Office.

March 3, 1881—d&wly

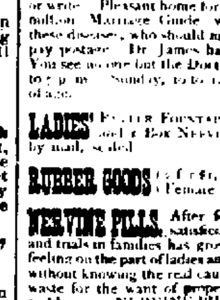
## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Thomas O. Smith and against John Ricketts, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. four (4), in block No. two (2), on the west side of North Main street, in Cowan & Hostetler's Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois. Taken as property of the said John Ricketts, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1881, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 7th day of July, A. D. 1881.

WM. W. FOSTER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois

July 8—d3w



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